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Group Art Unit: 1763

Serial No.: 09/667,777

Examiner: R. Zervigon

Filed: September 22, 2000

ELECTRODE, SUSCEPTOR, PLASMA

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METHOD OF MAKING THE ELECTRODE

AND THE SUSCEPTOR

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

For:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action dated August 1, 2003. The items checked below are appropriate:

 \boxtimes Applicants hereby petition for a two-months extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. The fee of \$420.00 for the Extension is enclosed.

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Ad	ditional Fee
Total	30	-	26	4	x \$ 18	\$	72.00
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 \boxtimes A fee of \$72.00 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply is enclosed.

 \boxtimes A check for \$492.00 to cover the above fee(s) is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Dated: December 31, 2003

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In re Application of:				
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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450				
Sir:				

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

In reply to the Office Action dated August 1, 2003, the period for reply having been extended to January 2, 2004 (since January 1, 2004 is a holiday), by a Petition for a two-month extension of time and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment section of this paper.

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